


18	Utility of the project, including the people living in close vicinity of the project.	Yes. Future development of digital network like, broadband connectivity to Gram Panchayat and other Wi-Fi hotspot for better mobile connectivity.
19	In case of renewal whether all the conditions stipulated in the earlier sanction order have been complied with.	N/A
20	Alternatives examined by the user agency in case of non-site specific projects.	Shorter Route with minimum forest cover is selected.
21	A certificate by the user agency that the forest land requested for diversion for non-forestry purpose is bare minimum.	Yes
22	Any scope of saving tree growth while ensuring that the purpose for which the forest land is being diverted is also not adversely affected.	No Trees will be felled as the proposed Area is for ROW under ground OFC Line (NOFN PROJECT BSNL).
23	Any other issue of significance.	No
24	Specific recommendations of the DFO with reasons for approval of the project.	It is recommended to divert 2.270 Hec. of Forest land to User agency AGM (PIng.) BSNL , Betul for OFC laying work at proposed area of Betul, Shahpur & Ranipur Range.

  
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